

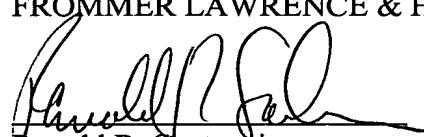
**REMARKS**

Consideration of the above amendments is respectfully requested. The above application has been amended to add the reference to the international application and its priority application. The drawings have been amended to include a substitute drawing sheet for Figures 1 and 2 (drawing sheet 1/5). When the application was originally filed this drawing sheet showed the identical figure for both Figures 1 and 2. In the substitute drawing sheet enclosed, this has been corrected and the original drawing figure is labeled as Figure 2 and the correct figure has been inserted for Figure 1. No new matter has been added. Accordingly, an early examination of the application is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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